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1. IT HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED HERE THAT ZANZIBAR SUPREME COUNCIL, COMPOSED OF 14 ELDERS, WILL BEGIN PUBLIC HEARINGS OCTOBER 9 IN CASE OF 39 PEOPLE STILL CONVICTED OF TREASON FOR COUP ATTEMPT OF APRIL 1972 IN WHICH FORMER AFRO-SHIRAZI PARTY PRESIDENT ABEID AMANI KARUME WAS ASSASSINATED. SUPREME COUNCIL HAS BEEN REVIEWING CASES FOR LAST FOUR MONTHS.

2. AMONG 39 ARE 24 WHOSE DEATH SENTENCES WERE UPHELD ON APPEAL TO ZANZIBAR S HIGH COURT IN NOVEMBER 1975.

3. THIS IS NEXT TO LAST STEP IN APPEAL PROCESS. FINAL STEP IS CLEMENCY APPEAL TO AFRO-SHIRAZI PARTY PRESIDENT ABOUD JUMBE.
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